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SALEM INT'L		Game 1								ARMSTRONG STATE		
3	Final	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E	21
	SALEM INT'L (0-9)	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	3	4	1	
	ARMSTRONG STATE (8-2)	2	1	14	1	1	2	X	21	18	2	

SALEM INT'L		Game 2								ARMSTRONG STATE		
2	Final	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	H	E	11
	SALEM INT'L (0-10)	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	4	3	
	ARMSTRONG STATE (9-2)	1	6	0	4	0	0	X	11	14	1	



Posted: Feb 19, 2017 Tweet

Game 1

SAVANNAH, Ga. - The Armstrong State University baseball squad completed a four-game weekend sweep of visiting Salem International University with a pair of wins on Sunday at Pirate Field. The Pirates won the first game, 21-3, and took the second game, 11-2.

The wins stretch Armstrong State's winning streak to eight games as the Pirates improved to 9-2 on the season. Salem International fell to 0-10 overall with the losses. Armstrong State returns to action on Tuesday, visiting Claflin for a 5:00 p.m. non-conference contest with the Panthers.

The Pirates took a 2-0 lead in the first inning of Sunday's game one on a two-run home run by sophomore **Zack Goble**. Salem International scored a single run on an error in the second, then freshman **Timothy Gray** connected on a solo home run in the bottom of the second. A sacrifice fly by Zach Mullinax in the top of the third made the score 3-2, but Armstrong State then scored 14 runs in the bottom of the third inning - including a two-run home run from freshman **Will Hodges** and a three-run shot from Goble - to break open the contest.

Armstrong State finished up with 18 hits in the game as Goble went 3-for-4 with two home runs, four runs scored and seven RBI to lead the attack. Sophomore **Sam Goberdhan** (2-0) picked up the win in the seven-inning contest with four innings of two-hit ball, giving up two unearned runs and walking two while striking out five.

Salem International starter Steven Craddock (0-1) took the loss, giving up two hits and two runs in one inning, striking out one.

In game two, the Pirates used a six-run second inning, highlighted by a three-run home run by senior **Spencer Harvey**, to go on to the 11-2 win in seven innings. Harvey went 2-for-5 with four RBI while junior **Caleb Slaughter** went 3-for-4 with two RBI to pace the Pirate bats.

Senior **Blake Turner** (1-1) picked up the win for the Pirates in game two, hurling four innings of two-hit shutout ball, walking three while striking out five. Abel Hernandez (0-3) took the loss for the Tigers, giving up 13 hits and 11 runs, nine earned, in four innings of work, walking one while striking out seven.



BATTING
SALEM INT'L
2B: none
3B: none
HR: Donato Gallano
ARMSTRONG STATE
2B: Trey Polewski; Tyler Epps; Mark Felton
3B: Ryan Patterson
HR: Zack Goble 2; Will Hodges; Timothy Gray; Caleb Slaughter; Spencer Harvey

FULL STATS

Game 2
BATTING
SALEM INT'L
2B: none
3B: none
HR: Matthew Flores
ARMSTRONG STATE
2B: Caleb Slaughter; Stetson Smith
3B: none
HR: Spencer Harvey

FULL STATS



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